

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 11, line 12, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Figure 4e illustrates a situation, again using 1500-bit packets, where one LAN port is being extremely overdriven and the remaining ports do not have the advantage of a fair allocation scheme. Again, WAN output for ports 2-8 are dramatically reduced from that shown in Figure 4d. ~~{is something missing re port 1?}~~